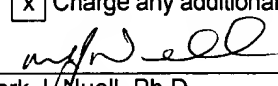




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<b>AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER</b>			Docket No. 1173-1053PUS1		
Application No. 09/459,062-Conf. #9639		Filing Date December 10, 1999		Examiner S. B. Chen	Art Unit 1648
Applicant(s): Tao TAO et al.					
Invention: CONSTRUCTION AND USE OF RECOMBINANT PARAINFLUENZA VIRUSES EXPRESSING A CHIMERIC GLYCO PROTEIN					
<b>MS Amendment</b> Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450  Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application. The fee has been calculated and is transmitted as shown below.					
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**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

In response to the Office Action dated April 18, 2006, finally rejecting claims 1-30 and 46-74, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 14 of this paper.